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SUBJECT: BULGARIA LIKELY TO VOTE AGAINST BELARUS' RESOLUTIONS

REF: A. SECSTATE 187018

1B. SOFIA 1559

Classified By: DCM Alex Karagiannis for reasons 1.4 (b) and (d)

(C) We delivered ref. A points to Kristina Yotova, expert in MFA's Human Rights Directorate, on Nov. 15. She confirmed on Nov. 16 that the points were passed to Bulgaria's delegation in New York. While the final decision will be made by the delegation, Yotova expressed confidence that Bulgaria will support our view and vote down the Belarus-sponsored resolutions. As reported in ref. B, Bulgaria will most likely support the five country-specific resolutions.

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